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1. Baker, Tommie	50-15	
2. Brame, Vivian	50-15	
3. Canfield, Clara Ruth	50-15	
4. Carpenter, Lois	50-	
5. Cherry, Louise	50-15	
6. Clark, Myra		a a
7. Claypool, Mrs. Hugh	50-15	a a
8. Coffee, Ida	50-	
9. Cook, Leon	50-	a a
10. Curry, B. L.	50-15	
11. Eldredge, Mrs.	50-15	a
12. Estes, W. L.		a a
13. Grise, P. M.	50-15-	
14. Grizzle, Aline	50-15	a
15. Hightower, Claude	50-	a
16. Johnston, Ethelyn	50-	a
17. Leach, Ida	15	a
18. Lowe, Pearl	50-15	
19. Lutz, Mrs.	50-	a
20. Marshall, Romie	50-	a a
21. Miles, Ollie	50-15	
22. Miller, Josephine	1.50-15	
23. Miller, Loretta	1.	a a a
24. O'Dell, Irene	50-15	a

1. Cherry, Mrs. T. C. .15
2. Claggett, .15
3. Barnes, Hallie
4. Luper, M. A. .15
5. Mason, Sue Belle .50.
6. Matthews, Mrs. H. R. 50-15
7. Russell, Margaret
8. Wilson, Gordon ..50-.15 ~~.20~~

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25.	Pickles, Bertha	50-15	aa
26.	Pierce, Annie	50-	a
27.	Poole, Vera	15	aa
28.	Price, Ruth	50-15-	
29.	Ray, Edward H.	50-15	a
30.	Reed, Charlotte		aaa
31.	Richards, Francis	30-	a
32.	Robinson, E. S.		aaa
33.	Starks, Delpha T.	50- 30	a
34.	Stone, Jessie	50-15	aa
35.	Sturgeon, Mrs. George	50-	aa
36.	Taylor, Ruby.		aa
37.	Wagoner, Viola	50-	
38.	Wallis, Norma	50-15	
39.	Warner, Julia	50-	aa
40.	Williams, Annie	50-15	
41.	Wright, J. R.		aaa
42.	Cotton, Lucille	15-	a
43.	Benneth, Kathleen		a
44.	Edwards, Bessie	50-15	.
45.	Morrison, Edgar		
46.	Glasscock, Marie		
47.	Lehman, Lilham Ed.		
48.	Henninger, Francis	50	

Taylor, Susan

Brumley, Grace.

Chaney, Ruth

Chandler, Josephine

Fisk, Lucille so

Constitution

Article I

This organization shall be known as the English Club of the Western Kentucky State Teachers College.

Article II

Section 1: Applicants for membership in the English Club shall be English majors or shall have fifteen semester hours in English.

Section 2: members of the English faculty are ex officio members.

Article III

Section 1: The officers of this club shall consist of a president, a vice-president, and a secretary-treasurer.

Section 2: Officers shall be elected by a majority of the members, the vote being taken by open ballot, and shall hold office for one semester.

Section 3: The president shall preside at all the meetings and appoint committees for executing the affairs of the organization.

Section 4: In the absence of the president the vice-president shall assume the power of the president.

Section 5: The secretary-treasurer shall keep a record of all the meetings and shall receive and

disburse the funds of the organization under the direction of the organization.

Article IV.

The club shall meet on the second Monday evening of each month at 7:30, the place to be chosen by the club.

Article V.

Any proposed amendment to the constitution shall be presented in writing and read by the secretary to the club at least one month before the vote is taken upon it. Two-thirds majority vote of the members present shall be necessary in order to adopt it.

By-Laws

Section 1: Any member who, without excuse acceptable to the club, shall miss as many as two meetings in succession shall be automatically dropped from the club. Reinstatement shall follow the acceptance of a written excuse from the absentee by a three-fourths vote of the members present.

Section 2: If a member fails to pay the dues voted by the club, he shall be automatically dropped from the club.

Section 3: The president shall be empowered to call special meetings at any time he deems it necessary.

Section 4: Three-fifths of the total membership shall constitute a quorum.

Officers of the English Club.

From Nov. 7, to Feb. 9, 1925

President - R. M. Grise

Vice-president - Romie Marshall

Secretary-treasurer - Pearl Lowe.

From Feb. 9, 1925 -

President - Romie Marshall

Vice-president - Claude Hightower.

Secretary-treasurer - Francis Richards.

minutes

On Fri. evening, Nov. 7, 1924 the English majors met with Mrs. Cherry, Miss Mason, Mr. Seiper, and Mr. Wilson as guests of Miss Mason and Mr. Seiper at Cabal Hall for the organizing of an English club. Before any business was taken up, Mr. Wilson gave quite a splendid résumé of his thesis on Abraham Lincoln which he had submitted and had had accepted for his master's degree at the University of Indiana.

Following this Mr. Seiper explained the purposes of organization into an English Club, which, in main, were the study of: (a) the general field of English; (b) the English course of study; (c) what is in our library pertaining to English; (d) the newest and best books on English; and (e) English conditions in the high schools of Kentucky.

The following officers were then elected:

Chairman - P. M. Drisc.

Vice-Chairman - Romie Marshall

Secretary-Treasurer - Pearl Lowe

Mr. Seiper, acting as temporary chairman, appointed Miss Mason, P. M. Drisc, and

Pearl Lowe to draw up a constitution and by-laws for the organization to be presented at the next meeting.

After delightful refreshments and impromptu songs by Mr. Marshall and his colleagues the Club adjourned to meet again on Thursday evening, Dec. 11, 1924.

Respectfully submitted,

Pearl Lowe, Secretary.

On Thurs. evening, Dec. 11, 1924 the English Club held its second meeting, at 7 o'clock on the stage. Mr. Seiper introduced the speaker of the evening, Mr. W. C. Vaughan, of Memphis, Tenn. who gave us a very splendid informal talk on Walt Whitman, his works and his influence.

Following this a business meeting was held. After roll call and the acceptance of the minutes of the last meeting, the constitution ^{and by-laws} which had been drawn up by Miss Mason, Mr. Eise, and Miss Lowe, was put before the club. With a few minor changes they were adopted unanimously. The following committees were then appointed:

1. Program - Miss Mason, Miss Gaines, and

Mr. Guise;

2. For the study of the courses in English in teachers colleges - Mrs. T. C. Cherry, Vera Poole and B. M. Curry.
 3. For a study of English bibliography - Miss Baker, Mrs. Eldredge, and Miss Leach.
 4. For the study of English as taught in Kentucky high schools - Pearl Lowe, Francis Richards, and Mr. Seiper.
 5. For the study of our own English course - Mrs. Matthews, Mr. Wilson, and Miss Wallis.
 6. For the study of the English field in general - Louise Cherry, Ollie Miles, and Vivian Brainer.
- After short talks by Mr. Seiper and Mr. Wilson and refreshments by the hosts, Mrs. Cherry and Mr. Wilson, the Club adjourned until the next meeting, Jan. 12, 1925.

Respectfully Submitted,
Pearl Lowe, Secretary.

On Mon. evening, Jan. 12, 1925 the English Club of the Western Kentucky Teachers College had its monthly meeting in the parlor of J. Whit Potter Hall. The program was as follows:

1. Historical English - Pearl Lowe
2. English From the standpoint of a Critic Teacher -
Hallie Gaines.
3. Original short story - Rudy Matthews.
4. Original " " Miss. Koningstein.
5. Original " " Tommie Baker
6. music: (a) Ralph Allison
(b) Lead me On - Ralph Allison and
Romie Marshall.

Each of the six committees except one reported on the progress of work done. The advisability of the Club writing and producing a play was considered and a committee composed of Mrs. Cherry, Mrs. Matthews, and Mr. Marshall was appointed to start the work. After short talks by Mr. Lipser and Mr. Wilson relating to the Club and activities and ^{after} refreshments, the Club adjourned.

Submitted,

Pearl Lowe,
Secretary.

Financial Report to Feb. 9, 1925

Fees collected	\$18.50
Profit on Mr. Vaughan's program	\$2.00
Total	\$20.50
Refreshments Jan. 12 - -	\$3.00
Refreshments Feb. 9 --	\$5.30
Roll book	.35
Construction paper for report	.20
Total expenditures	\$8.85
Cash on hand	\$11.65

Received for pictures in annual \$3.50

Paid to Mr. Marget for pictures \$3.50

(signed)

Pearl Lowe, Feb. 9, 1925.

The English Club met on Monday evening, February 9, in Cabell Hall.

The principal speaker of the evening was Miss Belle Potter, of the English department of Bowling Green High School. Miss Potter gave an interesting discussion of "Current Poetry".

Miss Josephine Chandler read two original poems, and a poem by Mr. J. B. Brown was read by Mrs. L. B. Cherry. After the reading of these poems, ^{were read by} ~~the~~ ^{some} members of the club some songs, from which one of the school songs was selected.

Then the election of officers was held, and the following officers were chosen: President, Romie Marshall; vice-president, Claude Hightower; secretary-treasurer, Frances Richards.

Refreshments were then served, after which the club adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Frances Richards, Sec.

Constitution of Leiper English Club.
Amended Spring semester, 1953.

Article I

This organization shall be known as the Leiper English Club of the Western Kentucky State College.

Article II

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